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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/567,968	Applicant(s) OTSUKI ET AL.	
	Examiner Kyle Purdy	Art Unit 1611	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Kyle Purdy. (3) ____.

(2) Mrs. Otsuki. (4) ____.

Date of Interview: 30 June 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-15.

Identification of prior art discussed: n/a.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant called to clarify the electino of species requirement. The Examiner indicated that Applicant is to choose one species from each of Group A and B and not select either group A or B. Applicant suggested possible claim amendments and questioned if they would fall under current species election requirement or if another requirement would be deemed necessary.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/David J Blanchard/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1643	/Kyle Purdy/ Examiner, Art Unit 1611
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